Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 07 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Thursday 08 Oct 2020

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 07 Oct 2020 at 03:54

Confidence: High for dry weather for most of Wednesday but some uncertainty in the timings of rain arriving late in the day then its clearance time on Thursday. High for cool and showery conditions on Friday and Saturday.

Headline for Wednesday 07 Oct 2020: Mainly dry and bright with winds easing. Rain later.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 07 Oct 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
20%	10%	10%	30%	80%	>95%

Forecast for Wednesday 07 Oct 2020

Weather: Dry for most of the day with bright or sunny spells. Cloud will increase during the afternoon with rain arriving from the southwest around late afternoon or early evening. Rain becoming heavy and persistent in the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 90% at first. Patchy cloud cover above 700m at first but cloud will lift from all summits during the morning. Deteriorating again through the late afternoon and evening as rain arrives and cloud lowers.

Visibility: Occasionally poor on the tops at first, otherwise very good air clarity through most of the day. Deteriorating later as rain arrives with cloud lowering in the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	19/27 W	17/23 W	14/20 W	13/18 SW	13/18 S	20/27 S	27/38 SW
300	10/23 W	11/21 W	11/19 W	9/17 SW	7/16 S	6/17 SE	16/34 SW
Valley	9/23 W	10/21 W	10/20 W	8/16 SW	3/12 S	5/12 E	14/33 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/1	7/2	8/5	9/6	8/5	8/4	11/7
300	8/5	9/7	11/9	12/10	10/8	10/9	13/10
Valley	8/6	10/8	12/10	12/11	10/10	10/10	13/11
Freezing Level*	1400m	1300m	1500m	1700m	2500m	2900m	3000m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Windy conditions at first then a decent window of settled conditions for much of the day. Note the arrival of rain and poor visibility at the end of the day.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Wed 07 Oct 2020	9.2mm	17.2mm	36.2mm

Forecast for Thursday 08 Oct 2020

Weather: Heavy rain in the early hours will become light and patchy overnight. Cloudy start to the morning but slowly brightening up. Sunny spells in the afternoon with scattered showers, these mostly light.

Maximum wind: Southerly 15-20mph veering Westerly 15-20mph early in the morning.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: Very little chance at first with extensive cloud down to 300 or 400m. Becoming 80% by early late afternoon as cloud lifts and breaks.

Visibility: Poor with low cloud at first but improving through the day with very good air clarity at all elevations by afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 8 or 9 Celsius rising to 13 or 14 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 7 or 8 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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